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OG-08-06-443

June 4, 2008

Paul & Valerie Dannels
876 US Highway 93 N
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RE: Emergency Floodplain Permit Application (Dannels, FA-08-10)
Sec. 6, T20N, R6W/Sec. 1, T6N, R21W, Parcel #121400
Geocodes # 1468-06-1-01-51-0000/1467-01-4-02-03-0000

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Dannels,

Your request for an Emergency Floodplain Permit has been received and reviewed by the Ravalli County Planning Department. The purpose of this letter is to confirm the verbal authorization to proceed with the proposed emergency bank stabilization project as agreed on June 4, 2008 during our site visit. Over the past month approximately 35 feet of bank has eroded as the Bitterroot River migrates horizontally to the west. It is clear that an emergency permit is warranted as the integrity of the bank may continue to be compromised during this season's prolonged high water. It is my understanding that the intent of your project is to stabilize approximately 100 feet of bank with about 40 cubic yards of large rip-rap to prevent the avulsion of the main river channel into the swale on your property. All work must comply with the development standards as indicated in the Ravalli County Floodplain Regulations and a regular Floodplain Permit must be acquired after project completion. **Payment of \$500 for this permit application is outstanding and must be submitted to our office immediately.**

Please note that although the above project may be eligible for a floodplain permit from the County, other permits may be required by other agencies. It is your responsibility to ensure that project approval from each agency has been legally obtained before beginning any work. Any permits obtained from other agencies for the emergency work must be submitted to our office.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact our office at (406) 375-6530.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Laura Hendrix".

Laura Hendrix, CFM
Ravalli County Floodplain Administrator

Enclosure: Joint Application for Proposed Work in Montana's Streams, Wetlands, Floodplains
and Other Water Bodies

cc: Correspondence File-General
File FA-08-10
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